

## Message Text

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: EFIN, NI

SUBJECT: CITIBANK PUTS ABATEX ON BACK BURNER

REF: LAGOS 10484

CITIBANK REP PRICE TOLD EMBOFF THAT HE HAS ADVISED  
CITIBANK NEW YORK NOT REPEAT NOT TO CALL IN EX-IM GUARANTEE  
IF PAYMENT WAS NOT RECEIVED BY END SEPTEMBER. PRICE SAID  
CITIBANK'S ABOUT FACE (SEE PARA 2 REFTEL) PRIMARILY DUE TO  
CONTINUING SENSITIVE NEGOTIATIONS WITH FMG OVER DISPOSAL  
OF CITIBANK'S LOCAL BRANCH ASSETS. ABATEX ARREARAGE PROBLEM  
WILL BE REVIEWED AFTER NEGOTIATIONS HAVE BEEN CONCLUDED.  
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## Message Attributes

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